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SECRETARY OF WAR ORDERS TWO PROBES TO GET AT FACTS

NATURE OF EVIDENCE IN HAND NOT DISCLOSED BY HIGH OFFICIALS

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 8.—An investigation of conditions in the army air service has been ordered by Secretary Davis of the War Department.

The secretary wants to know whether the air service officers still are opposing the air policies of President Coolidge and are employing disloyal methods in carrying forward the agitation for a separate air corps.

To establish the facts two inquiries have been ordered by the Secretary.

One phase has been placed in the hands of Major General Eli Helmick, inspector general of the army.

Another phase has been entrusted to Major General Mason Patrick, chief of the air service.

Whether action will be taken by the war secretary depends upon the nature and completeness of the information collected.

It is conceded to be within the realm of possibilities that a general shakeup in the air service personnel, including court martial proceedings, will follow.

While Secretary Davis and other department officials decline to disclose the evidence which led to the decision for a sweeping investigation, it is known that the secretary has in his possession copies of documents believed by some authorities to have been mimeographed and distributed through air service headquarters.

These called upon the recipients, believed to be air service officers on duty with the national guard and reserve organizations throughout the country, to get busy in their support of the air corps bill.

PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR KERENS SEEMS ASSURED PROJECT

Special to the Sun.
Kerens, Texas, Feb. 8.—Kerens will have a public library. This word comes from the Pioneer Literary club of Kerens, which has been working on plans for a Kerens Public Library for some weeks. Saturday the plan was submitted and subscribed to unanimously by the Kerens Music Club. Thursday the plan will be submitted to the Kerens Lions Club for their approval. The Kerens National Bank has offered space for the library. Cash donations and book donations have been pledged and will be given as soon as organization has been completed. When the library opens it will have a membership of 80 or more card holders. The Kerens National Bank has offered space for the library. Cash donations and book donations have been pledged and will be given as soon as organization has been completed. When the library opens it will have a membership of 80 or more card holders. The Kerens National Bank has offered space for the library. Cash donations and book donations have been pledged and will be given as soon as organization has been completed. When the library opens it will have a membership of 80 or more card holders.

HEAVY INCREASE POLL TAX PAYMENTS NAVARRO COUNTY

NEARLY FIFTEEN HUNDRED INCREASE ACCORDING FINAL COUNT

Tax Collector George W. Boyd announced Monday that the final figures on poll taxes for this year amounted to 11,625, while the exemptions totaled 693 for a voting strength for Navarro county this year of 12,318.

In 1925 there were 10,266 polls and 557 exemptions for a total voting strength of 10,823 voters. The 1926 polls show an increase of 1,459 voters. In 1924 when the oil boom was at its peak there were 12,000 polls and 701 exemptions for a total of 13,701 qualified voters. The 1926 figures reveal a decrease of only 333 voters now and at the height of the oil boom.

Tax Collector Boyd stated Monday that he was advised by the tax collector of Ellis county that the qualified voters of Ellis county for 1926 would approximate 15,000.

ALLEGED FARMER SHOT FOUR YOUNG PEOPLE SAN ANGELO

San Angelo, Feb. 8.—Waving examination in Justice W. H. Whitefield's Court on a complaint charging him with assault with intent to murder, Charles B. Metcalfe, pioneer farmer, livestock raiser and former legislator, Saturday furnished \$1,000 bond pending grand jury action.

Meanwhile, Miss Ruth Shumate, 17, one of four young people shot Thursday night on the grounds of the Metcalfe home, south of the city, lay in a critical condition in a hospital. Amputation of her left arm was threatened and small hope for her recovery was entertained.

The condition of Miss Beulah Green and of Casel Haselden was reported more serious than was considered at first, but the wounds of neither is expected to prove fatal.

Leslie Davenport, Corsicana, the fourth person shot in the hospital only a short time.

Metcalfe's counsel stated that his gun accidentally was discharged when he was grazed and almost run down by a car when he went armed to ascertain the mission of unknown motorists. Haselden stated that Davenport's desire to explore a road leading from the Sonora Pike accounted for their presence on Metcalfe's farm and that as they started out a man leaped from a car and demanded that they stop. When this order was not obeyed the shot was fired. The complaint was filed by Walter Green, father of Miss Beulah Green.

W. S. Metcalfe, Henry Ragsdale and J. A. Thomas signed Metcalfe's bond.

The Sun, after numerous inquiries has been unable to locate any relatives of Leslie Davenport in Corsicana.

George S. McIlvane of Waco was here today.

A wire was received Friday by Mrs. J. O. Wood, stating that Miss Katherine Wood had arrived in Pasadena.

FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM SAYS INFORMATION INDICATES TEXTBOOK BATTLE BE STAGED

By Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 8.—The Star-Telegram says today that the State Text Book Commission, which has been called to meet in a special session at Austin tomorrow over the alleged contract with the American Book Company is expected to develop into a fight that will attract statewide attention.

When the commission met last year to select text books for the public schools the contract of the American Book Company was not approved by the attorney general because the bid had not been accompanied by an anti-trust affidavit signed by the secretary of the company.

It is known that the views of the membership of the commission is so split up that it is believed the meeting tomorrow will develop into a lively fight the newspaper declared.

DELAWARE TOWN IS SCENE OF GATHERING MILITARY MONDAY

By Associated Press.
Georgetown, Dela., Feb. 8.—With the court house square transformed into an armed camp by three batteries of the Delaware national guard, this town presented a warlike appearance today as Harry Baker, negro, went on trial for the alleged assaulting of a twelve-year-old white girl.

Meanwhile the victim of the attack, Ethel Steinhilber, lies in a precarious condition in a hospital at Milford, suffering from seven skull fractures received when the negro clubbed and assaulted her near her home at Bridgeville on January 21st.

The negro has confessed, the police say.

OLD NEWSPAPERS CONTAINING NEWS GENERAL INTEREST

J. O. Osborn exhibited a copy each of two very old and interesting newspapers at the Daily Sun office Saturday. One is a copy of the Ulster County Gazette dated January 4, 1800, published at Kingston, New York. Among other matters of general news interest this paper carries a full account of the funeral of George Washington.

The other paper is a copy of the Vicksburg (Miss.) Daily published July 1, 1862, and consists of only a single page typed on the back side of a strip of wall-paper.

The latter paper gives intimate details of the Siege of Vicksburg when Grant's army was surrounding the town held by the Confederates under Pemberton.

MARKET RATINGS

Cotton futures dropped from 6 to 9 points today. May wheat closed down about five cents while July dropped two and three quarters. Corn lost two cents and oats closed down about two and one-half cents.

New York March cotton opened 20.37, high 20.37, low 20.32, close 20.26-28. Saturday's close 20.33-37. May opened 19.77, high 19.77, low 19.67, close 19.70-71. Saturday's close 19.73-80.

New Orleans March opened 19.68, high 19.70, low 19.62, close 19.63-64. Saturday's close 19.72-73. May opened 19.12, high 19.16, low 19.07, close 19.10. Saturday's close 19.16-18.

May wheat opened 1.73 1-2, closed 1.69 3-4. Saturday's close 1.74 5-8. May opened 1.52 1-1, closed 1.51. Saturday's close 1.53 3-4.

May corn opened 82, closed 80 5-8. Saturday's close 82 1-2. July opened 85, closed 83 3-8. Saturday's close 85 2-8.

May oats opened 42 5-8, closed 40 5-8. Saturday's close 43. July opened 43 1-8, closed 41 1-2. Saturday's close 43 3-4.

W. L. Scott, Jr. will go to Dallas late Friday to spend the week-end.

PROMINENT DALLAS BAKER DIED THERE; LARGE PIE MAKER

By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Feb. 8.—Simon Huber, aged sixty-six years, for many years prominent in the baking industry, died at his home here today.

He was one of the largest producers of pies in the Southwest, operating nine plants in this section and also bakeries in New Orleans and Cincinnati.

SENATE TOOK UP TAX BILL MONDAY FOR FINISH FIGHT

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 8.—The senate dug in today in continuance of its fight over the tax reduction, with the leaders of both parties determined to bring the revenue bill to final vote before the end of the week.

THIRTY-FIVE MEN CHARGED VIOLATION PRO LAWS NEW YORK

ALL PLEAD NOT GUILTY AND HELD FOR TRIAL FEDERAL COURT

By Associated Press.
New York, Feb. 8.—Thirty-five of the sixty-one men, including William Dwyer, race track owner, who were indicted January 28th on charges of violating the national prohibition law today pleaded not guilty and were held for trial in federal court on March 1st.

The remaining defendants failed to put in an appearance and bench warrants were ordered issued by Judge Howe.

R. M. Albright, of Barry, was in Corsicana Saturday.

PREPAREDNESS IN MILITARY MATTERS URGED BY OFFICER

GENERAL SUMMERALL AD- DRESSES FEDERAL COUN- CIL OF CHURCHES

By Associated Press.
New York, Feb. 8.—Military preparedness is as essential to national security as a police force is to personal security, said Major General Charles Summerall, commander of the Second Corps Area, in an address today before the Federal Council of Churches in America.

He defended the policy of training officers in American schools and colleges as preparation for better citizenship.

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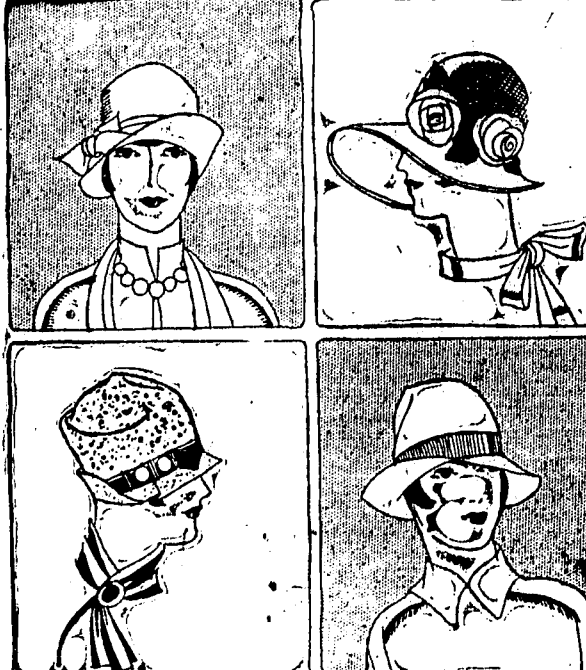


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A NEW TRADE ROUTE

Though Canada has many miles of profitable railway within its national system the government pledges itself to complete to Hudson Bay the line which was begun some years ago, but stopped ninety miles short of its goal. Completion of the project is to be undertaken at the instance of the Western farmers who seek a shorter rail haul for their grain and cheaper freight rates to Europe. In fact, it is designed to be the answer to the prairie provinces on a demand somewhat similar to that which is voiced by our Western farmers. That the line runs for hundreds of miles through a well-nigh barren land to a port that is ice-bound for eight to ten months in the year is not a deterrent to the wheat growers who think they see in such a road a saving of 15 cents a bushel on wheat laid down in Liverpool.

Naturally the cities of Eastern Canada—Toronto, Montreal and Quebec—see no good in the project. Were the proposed route to prove successful it would divert the grain from the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence River route and that, of course, would hurt. The effect of the completion of the road is compared in importance to the first trans-continental railway or the digging of the Panama Canal in that it would establish a new and important trade route. While there is doubt expressed whether the road would have the effect hoped for by its advocates because of the difficulties connected with the navigation of Hudson Bay, the Canadian government seems disposed to take the chance as the price of harmony with the Western provinces.

NO LONGER TO GET IT IN NECK

In 1801, General James Wilkinson, commander of the army, provoked a storm of protest among the army's standpaters by ordering the cutting of all queues, which before then had been a trade mark of the military. At that time troops were issued flour and tallow to whiten and slick their heads and give them a smart look on parade. But these cosmetics and the queue were extremely unpopular with the rank and file who hailed the Wilkinson order with unanimous approval.

However, while relieving the service of one burden, Wilkinson at the same time introduced another which the army, after more than a century, is only now discarding for good, that being the high band collar which replaced the continental roll and which by 1812 had assumed the formidable proportions revealed in portraits of Jackson at New Orleans. During the Civil war the high collar was not compulsory—at least, few high officers effected it and one can hardly imagine Grant with one on his neck. But it returned to favor later and during the World war was one of the enduring trials of the whole military establishment.

The war department has just issued orders on military tailors for samples of roll-collared uniforms, from which one will be picked as regulation. When the present supply of issue uniforms is exhausted, they, too, will be supplanted by roll collar models. This will not recompense World war veterans who endured the horrors of the choker, but generations of military men to come ought to recall the date of its appearance as a sort of emancipation day.

ETERNAL AXIOMS

Two immortal sentences written by Robert Burns, Scotch bard, will never be forgotten by mortal man nor will they ever lose their place in man's everyday conversation. These eternal oracles of the poet mind are: "Give fools their silks and knaves their wine, a man's a man for all that," and "An honest man's the noblest work of God."

Since the time of Robert Burns

the world has become convinced as he was that "clothes do not make the man," and that "wealth is not a measure of manhood." Burns knew as does modernity that an honest man is not only the noblest work of God but oftentimes the rarest. When Burns was singing his folk songs of Scotland the word "honest" had not lost its spiritual inference. The people recognized more kinds of dishonesty than those amenable to man-made laws. The distinction between meum and tuum had not been lost. An honest man today is one who is not reputed to have obtained material possessions through questionable methods. Whether that man is honest with himself, his family or his fellow men does not matter as long as he does not steal that thing which civilization has called wealth. There will be universal material and spiritual honesty when there is a realization of Burns' prediction: "That man to man the world over shall brother be for all that."

TOLL OF THE HIGHWAY.

In spite of all the warnings and all of the moralizing, carelessness and reckless driving continue to exact a terrible toll of death on the highway. This is particularly the case on Sundays when more than the usual number of automobiles are in operation and when we seem to have more than the ordinary quota of inexperienced drivers.

The great need is to educate the people to the danger that confronts them by some striking illustrations. In mills and factories safety devices are saving many lives, but for some reason it seems to be difficult to keep down the number of accidents on the highways. One of the reasons for this is that the congestion in the large cities grows greater year by year, while the number of vehicles increases at the same time.

It cannot be said that the police are indifferent, because they are constantly engaged in improving and modernizing the traffic rules. One of the troubles no doubt is the tendency to haste on the part of everybody, in machines and afoot. The "Stop, Look and Listen" signs at railway crossings did a great deal of good in their way and in their day. Possibly some clever person will invent a caption that will be just as effective for automobilists on the public highways.

\$22,000 FOR ONE SIGNATURE

Of course, no set of autographs of signers of the Declaration of Independence is complete without the signature of Button Gwinnett, and since only 19 Gwinnett autographs are known to exist and the number of persons collecting sets of signatures is larger than that, the Georgian signature brings an extraordinary price.

Gwinnett was a plantation owner on St. Catherine's Island before the Revolution and entered politics only a year prior to the signing of the Declaration. Later he aided in drafting Georgia's state constitution and became president and commander-in-chief—virtually governor—of the colony; but Georgia at the time was the least important of the colonies and Gwinnett was not a distinguished figure in the country at large. Also he was not a voluminous letter writer and those he did write appear not to have been preserved for their historic significance or property value.

So one of 19 autographs he is known to have left behind brought \$22,000 the other day in New York, which makes Mr. Gwinnett's writings worth more per word than that of any other American. In fact, if Mr. Gwinnett could have remained alive and refrained from writing he would have made more money that way than most authors do who write continuously.

This country is supposed to have 2,000,000 dope fiends. Any sport editor knows the figure is low.

Some husbands are easy to please while others are not henpecked.

When a movie wants a big crowd it advertises "Advance in Prices."

It beats all how a woman can get a trunkful of stuff into a suitcase.

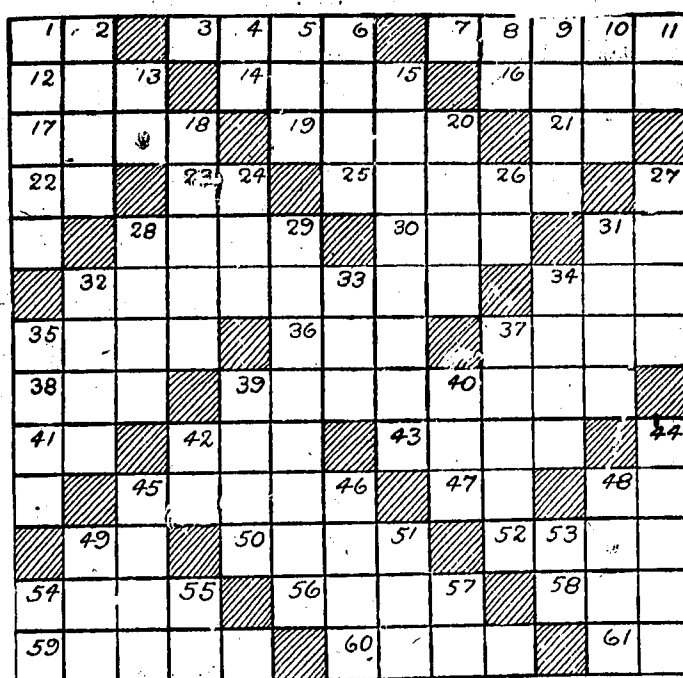
Fine motto: Live so you can pass any grocery store in town.

Ninety per cent of the men looking for arguments are single.

Consider the little pin—its flat head never sees the point.

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

THE ZIPPY ZIGG-ZAGGER



HORIZONTAL

- 1-exist
- 3-injure
- 7-mortal, serious
- 12-likely
- 14-appear
- 16-Roman out-er tunic
- 17-underground
- 19-bargain, trade with
- 21-note of the scale
- 22-bone
- 23-nearby
- 25-railway
- 28-wing, shaped
- 30-inexpiated liquor
- 31-exclamation of surprise
- 32-fragrant, spicy
- 34-title of respect
- 35-twirl
- 36-tumult
- 37-flat circular plate
- 38-assist
- 39-slender towers
- 41-exists

VERTICAL

- 1-member of nobility
- 2-epic poem
- 4-like
- 5-crimson
- 6-encounter
- 8-near
- 9-ripped, tattered
- 10-grow old
- 11-note of the scale
- 12-toward
- 15-placed on the margin
- 18-claw of a bird
- 20-not professional
- 24-Scotch hat
- 26-within
- 27-public ground
- 28-dry
- 29-instrument for heating
- 31-hoot at
- 32-sacred bull of Egyptians
- 33-a metal
- 34-location
- 35-navigate
- 37-restrain, check
- 39-liquify
- 40-crude
- 42-short for father
- 44-the end
- 45-halt
- 46-related, spoke
- 48-stated emphatically
- 49-hubbub
- 51-June bug
- 53-river in Siberia
- 54-auster, pronoun
- 55-Chinese weight
- 57-note of the scale



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Announcements.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

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TO TRADE—Good five room home close to on paved street, with all conveniences, good neighbors, for a smaller home and more ground short distance out of city. Will give good trade for place that suits me. Address "H" care Daily Sun, giving all particulars.

NOTICE—Stayed in my farm 11 miles south of Kerens, Dec. 17, 1925, one brown or mouse colored mare, slight build, 10 or 12 years old, weight 800 or 900 pounds. Joe M. Speed.

LOST NOTICE—One dark brown mare, about 14-15 hands high, ten years old, smooth round bodied. Disappeared from home on Chambers Creek near Oliver Bridge. Reward for information leading to her location. C. J. Hall, Kerens, Texas.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Mules and farming tools. Phone C. C. or O. L. Abertson, No. 612 or 285, Corsicana.

FOR SALE OR TRADE OR RENT—104 acres in south part of county, together with house and 20 acres in cultivation. Phone C. C. or O. L. Abertson, No. 612 or 285.

EGGS, EGGS—S. C. W. Lechman eggs \$1.50 per 15, \$8.00 per hundred. Near Zion's Rest School, Corsicana, Rt. 1, near Zion's Rest School.

Fell Over Truck And Injured Lip

At 11 o'clock last night watchman at the Corsicana Compress, fell over a hand truck at the compress building late Sunday night and received injuries to his lip. The truck was left in the walkway and he stumbled over it in the darkness. The injury was treated at the County Hospital.

Professional Cards

DR. L. C. POLK, Dentist.
Announces the removal of his Dental Office to the new State National Office Building. Entrance office 602, 6th Floor, Phone 1887.

Money to Loan

At 5 1-2 per cent on Rented Farms.
JOE SANDS, Corsicana, Texas.

John R. Curington Attorney at Law Corsicana, Texas

MRS E J JEFFERS A Permanent Professional Corsetiere representing the Spirella Corset. Phone 55 for a fitting.

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KNIGHTS OF THE KLU KLUX KLAN

Meet Every Tuesday Night 7:30 p. m., second floor I. O. O. F. Building. Visiting Klansmen Welcome

BORROW MONEY

at 5 1-2 percent on farms rented for 1-3 and 1-4, from
JOE SANDS, Corsicana, Texas.

DR. O. L. SMITH DENTIST

Over Corsicana National Bank Phone Office 70 Residence 869

DR. M. SMOTHERMAN Veterinarian

Office at Lee Drug Co. Corner 4th Avenue and 10th Street. Phone 312. Nt. Phone 845-J Corsicana, Texas.

WOMACK BOILER AND WELDING WORKS

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GO TO Miller's Lunch Room

and get the best home cooked foods in the city. Our special home-made chili and cream waffles will please you. Try a cup of Miller's unsurpassed coffee.

Plate Lunch from 11 A M. to 8 P. M. 35c

Next to Simon Daniel on Beaton street

TABLES FOR LADIES

FIVE GALS. PAINT FREE

A large paint concern, in furtherance of an advertising and introductory campaign now in progress, offers to give, free of charge, five gallons of its best house paint, any color, to one property owner at each post office or on each rural route in this county. This concern wants its paint on a house in each locality this season which is the purpose of this remarkable offer. It also wants a local salesman in each county. Persons interested are requested to write the Kero Paint Company, Dept. 361, Louisville, Ky.

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LARGE QUANTITY OF GRAIN ALCOHOL WAS TAKEN BY ROBBERS

By Associated Press.
Peoria, Ills., Feb. 5.—Fifteen masked men held a up a Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific freight train near Henry, Illinois, forty miles north of here, and escaped in trucks with pure alcohol estimated to be worth \$10,000, early today.

The shipment comprised the greater part of two car loads.

Conductor Charles Somers and two railroad detectives were disarmed by the robbers.

The holdup men worked with a precision that recalled the methods once used by train robbers of the old days of the wild west.

More than 600 gallons of high grade alcohol were removed to the waiting trucks. The alcohol was from the Corning distillery at Peoria.

Members of the train crew said the robbers drove away in five automobiles.

Two Couples Wed Saturday Night

Gailther Miller and Miss Nina Webb were married Saturday night at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, the ceremony being performed by Dr. E. P. Kennedy.

Allen A. Pugh and Miss Katherine Newton were married Saturday night, Dr. E. P. Kennedy performing the ceremony.

W. C. Schnelle of Dallas was here today.

T. S. Baird of Palestine was here today.

R. Owen was here Friday from Houston.

Take Your Produce to the City Market First

And take home your groceries and meats.
We appreciate your business.

City Market and Grocery

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SERVICE SERVICE

Z. C. P. Tankersley of Waco was here today.

A. Harris was here today from R. H. Barney of Dallas was here today.

F. E. Hendon of Dallas was here today.

T. L. Johnson of Tyler was here today.

S. H. Quail was here today from Dallas.

Give Us a Trial for Your Next Bill of Groceries

48 lbs. Light Crust Flour	\$2.55
24 lbs. Light Crust Flour	\$1.35
48 lbs. American Beauty Flour	\$2.50
24 lbs. American Beauty Flour	\$1.35
24 lbs. Cream Meal	80c
10 lbs. Cream Meal	45c
5 lbs. Cream Meal	25c
15 lbs. Pure Cane Sugar	\$1.00
1 gal. pure Ribbon Cane Syrup	80c
Pinto Beans, per pound	7 1-2c
1 can No. 2 Perfection of Fame Corn	18c
6 cans No. 2 Perfection of Fame Corn	\$1.00
2 1-2 lbs. Brown's Saltine Crackers	45c
1 pkg. Mother's Aluminum Oats	33c
1 pkg. Kellogg's New Oats	13c

Collins Grocery Company

Let Us Relieve You of the Dirty Part of Home Cleaning



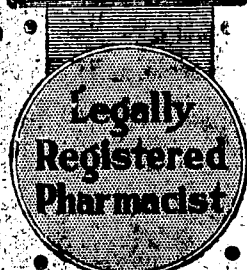
Rug Cleaning a Specialty with new and modern equipment

Our Work is the Right Way. All work is guaranteed. Phone 431 or visit 312 E. Second Avenue. The Corsicana Rug Cleaners, with

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The Texas Qualified Druggists' League Says:

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Only druggists who are members of the Texas Qualified Druggists' League are authorized to use this emblem.

"Your druggist carries an enormous stock of related merchandise for your convenience and service, and to be able to maintain the professional service of pharmacy. Much of this merchandise moves slowly and at small profit."

Williams Drug Company

Prompt Motorcycle Delivery Service
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FINANCIAL AGENT
TEXAS CHILDREN'S HOME IN CORSICANA

GREAT WORK BEING DONE BY SOCIETY FOUNDED BY THE REV. I. Z. T. MORRIS

Mrs. Delva Doss Luitwieler, who is the financial agent for the Texas Children's Home and Aid Society, organized 30 years ago by Rev. I. Z. T. Morris, headquarters Fort Worth, has labored for two weeks in her work, while she took time to assist individually some local cases, among whom was a mother with three small children, as the latter couldn't be admitted to the State Home and now the future looks brighter to those little beings.

Mrs. A. E. Haslam of this city serves on this board of council and says that fourteen children were carried from here to Fort Worth, including one girl-mother with a baby in the past two years the initiative coming from the United Charities secretary, or the citizens of Corsicana, there being one child from here to bury last February.

While the response with funds has not been what it should be, Mrs. Luitwieler says the general public knows little of the work that the Society has rendered this community and also the critical cases that took time and money to handle.

During the time Mr. Odie Mintra was superintendent of the State Orphans Home, this Society received many or all younger children who applied for admission there, for the State makes no appropriations for children under 4 years of age.

Scientific examinations by the best psychiatrists in Dallas and Fort Worth test each child which is graded and fitted accordingly, either for a future home or the different state institutions. Some cases remain in the Society from three to six months up to three and four years, it being a clearing house for children.

But five hundred children in one year from over Texas takes an enormous amount of work and funds to handle the situation. If Mrs. Luitwieler fails to see you send checks for this worthy work to Mrs. A. E. Haslam of this city, or to 318 Cotton Exchange Building, Fort Worth, Texas, for no



How Are Your Eyes?

I study each individual case carefully and thoroughly and fit you glasses that not only fit the eyes but styled for best appearance, too.

Iverson Optical Company

Phone 332
209 North Beaton St.
In Corsicana Since 1893

worthier work in the State exists today than the services of this most noble cause, and Mrs. Luitwieler feels grateful to all of her loyal annual contributors.

Callicutt & Upchurch announces the removal of their offices to fifth floor State National Bank Building.

Please Your Pocket

book and yourself. Have your optical work done at Fred Mitchell's, 214 South Beaton.

THOMAS A. EDISON IS NEARING FOUR SCORE; IS CHEATING TIME

ACCORDING TO ALL REPORTS HE IS EXCEEDING BRISK AND CHIPPER

Special to the Sun.

New York, Feb. 8.—Thomas A. Edison, who has been called "the greatest inventive genius of all time," will enter upon his eightieth year this week, and still he's cheating Old Man Time. According to all reports he is exceedingly brisk and chipper as he nears the four-score milestone and is said to be dining on spinach and carrots in preparation for the much illumined cake he must eat next Thursday.

In absolute disregard of the rules of living which prompt nearly all persons of his age to take it a bit easy, the wizard of West Orange continues to work with almost the same energy and industry which have characterized his entire life. Only within the past few years has he been induced to "slow down" in the least. As a slight concession to the urgings of his family and friends Mr. Edison nowadays does take an occasional day off and he has even been induced once or twice to spend a few weeks in the South to escape the rigors of winter. But, all in all, he sticks pretty closely to the daily routine of hard work and study that he has followed for many years. For more than forty years he has made his home at Llewellyn Park, near West Orange, where he also maintains the laboratories which have become famous the world over and which are yearly visited by men of distinction from many countries.

To all appearances the beginning of his eightieth year finds Mr. Edison still in his prime, physically as vigorous as most men many years his junior, and mentally as keen and alert as at any period of his marvelous career. He proudly points to the record of his ancestors and vows he will beat them all. His great-grandfather lived to be 104 and his father was 94 when he died.

For half a century the name Edison has been known throughout the civilized world, and wherever his name is known the stimulating power of his inventions is felt; for all these inventions have been on the side of moral and social progress, and hence they are each and all charged with a potential optimistic inspiration.

Mr. Edison has been termed a man of Herculean suggestiveness—not only the greatest inventor of an age; singularly fruitful in inventions, but a discoverer as well. For, when he could not find material with the properties he required, he explored the regions of the unknown and brought back captive the requisites for his inventions. The carbon disc by which he perfected his electric light is an example of this almost inspirational exploration.

Mr. Edison is social by nature, and very companionable with those who enjoy his confidence. His geniality has always made him a host of friends, and gathered round him a band of enthusiastic and devoted workers. Each year these friends and followers, who have banded together under the name of the Edison Pioneers, celebrate the birthday anniversary of the famous inventor with a banquet, either in New York or in Newark. For nearly a decade this custom has been followed and oftentimes as many as 150 or more guests have attended. On the occasion of these dinners Mr. Edison has been known to carry his luncheon with him in a box so that he might not break the inviolable rules of his diet.

Mr. Edison's personal tastes are simple. Personal notoriety has never been to his liking. "A man," he once said, "is to be measured by what he does, and not by what is said of him."

Little or Much

we appreciate your business.—Fred Mitchell, Jeweler.

Bowen and McKeown Buy Navarro Shop

E. C. Bowen and Kelly McKeown have purchased the Navarro Barber Shop where they will be found by their many friends in the future. Messrs Bowen and McKeown are both well known in Corsicana and have been connected with the A. S. Vandiver Barber Shop for a number of years.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place No. 2.

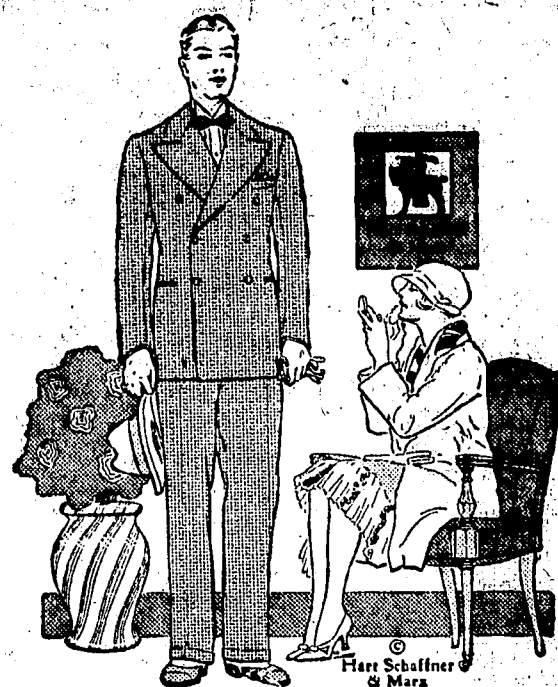
The main reason given by J. J. Sullivan for offering his services to the public for Justice of the Peace is "He wants the office." Although having been encouraged by many friends from the Bar, as well as private citizens, he now puts himself before the voters of Precinct No. 1, hoping to have the favorable consideration of enough of them to elect him to fill place No. 2.

His past record as Justice of the Peace is an open book to the public. The auditor's books will show that he, while in office, made money for the county. He now is better qualified to serve the public than when he was last in office. He knows only one rule—"Do unto others as he would have them do unto him." If elected he has this to say: "I will live near the court house; will be at the service of those who might need my service—day or night."

He remembers with gratitude his many friends who have helped him in the past.

And Now

we have added an optical department—have all the latest equipment for testing eyes and fitting glasses. The very last word in optical work.—Fred Mitchell, 214 South Beaton.



More Value Here
This Spring
More Style, Too

\$35 and up

Our margins are lower. Hart Schaffner & Marx have effected economies. It all means more for you—more style, more fine tailoring, more value, better fabrics.

See the new Eton Flannels and Caber Checks.

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Announcing

THE OPENING OF OUR

Used Car Store

206—210 East Fifth Avenue (10th and East 5th)

February 1st, 1926

We will carry a complete line of "Quality Used Cars" at our new store. All cars bearing our Blue Label are Guaranteed for a period of 30 days.

To acquaint the public with our NEW STORE we offer a limited number of the famous Brunswick Tires and tubes at Sensationally low prices.

The sale prices in this announcement are so ridiculously low on this standard brand merchandise that even though you do not need a set of tires now you can make money by buying now for future use.

SPECIAL SALE PRICES

LIMITED
TO
STOCK ON HAND

30 x 3 1-2
HEAVY GREY TUBE
\$1.95

Merchandise taking these
Prices Sold for
CASH ONLY

30 x 3 1-2
Fabric
\$8.65

30 x 3 1-2
Reg. Cord
\$9.65

30 x 3 1-2
O. Size Cord
\$13.25

29 x 4.40
Balloon
\$14.95

The prices quoted above are below present wholesale prices on like merchandise.

CRUMLEY, ELLIS & COMPANY

USED CAR STORE

206 to 210 East 5th Avenue

GUARANTEED

USED FORDS offer service to the buyer who pays while he rides

PRICE
The Lowest

SERVICE
30 Days

TERMS
Most Reasonable

Buying a USED FORD from an authorized FORD DEALER who is interested in the continued good performance of all Fords, gives the buyer added assurance of the value he receives.

We are glad to demonstrate the quality of our used Fords to the complete satisfaction of the buyer.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THIS SPACE

Boynton & Calkins

USED FORD DEPARTMENT

120 East 3rd Avenue

Phone 324 for Demonstration

WIELDS WICKED CLUB WHILE BLINDFOLDED



During the recent tournament in San Antonio Hayward Thompson, "wizard of the blindfold" who is to make a special appearance under the auspices of the McDonald Motor Co., this coming Wednesday, demonstrated to the pros that he could swing a wicked stick even while deprived of normal vision with an impoverished handkerchief. He is here shown with a pro you should all know.

CITIZENS OF CORSICANA AND NAVARRO COUNTY TO RECEIVE THRILL LIFETIME WEDNESDAY

The citizens of Corsicana and in that town accompanying her husband home. However Mr. Allison has now fully recovered.

It is to be remembered that Thompson was scheduled to appear in Meridian, Miss., immediately following his demonstration in Dallas last week. An automobile accident at Caddo, Ok., in which his wife and babies were painfully injured made it imperative that he stay at the bedside of his wife and cancel his exhibitions scheduled in Meridian and Jacksonville, Fla., last week. The McDonald Motor Co., in bringing to the city this interesting personality is presenting an entertainment that is afforded only by the largest cities in America.

Specifications for the mask that will obscure his vision during his blindfold exhibition were made yesterday by J. Fred Cleveland, a personal representative.

A long piece of black silk will be folded into a thickness of twelve folds. It will be fastened in the back with elastic clips. It will cover the entire head from forehead to chin. After it is examined by the public it will be applied by some disinterested spectator or any public official designated by the crowd in front of McDonald Co. garage. After its application, elastic bands will be placed over the bandage and under the nose to prevent light from seeping in from any source. It is to be remembered that Hayward Thompson will drive unaided and alone. He will confer with all traffic lights and signals. There will be an abundance of surprises in store for the spectators who follow him through. He will allow thirty minutes for the public to inspect the car and bandage. He will park in front of the McDonald garage promptly at noon Wednesday. At 12:30 sharp the demonstration will start. He promises the best that is in him so he is on hand in front of McDonald Company between 12 and 12:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Following is the route of Mr. Thompson in his blindfold drive: The drive will start from McDonald Motor Co. Company promptly at 12:30 p.m. and drive down 3rd to Tenth street, then south on Beaton to Seventh avenue, then on Seventh avenue to Eighteenth street, then north on Eighteenth street to Collin street, east on Collin street to Twelfth street, then north on Twelfth street to Fifth avenue, west on Fifth avenue to Thirtieth street, then north on Thirtieth street to Second avenue, then west on Second to Orphan's Home and back down Second avenue to Twenty-fifth street, north on Twenty-fifth street to Woodlawn avenue, then east on Woodlawn avenue to Twenty-fourth street, then south on Twenty-fourth to Second avenue, then east on Second avenue to Mills Place, then loop back in Mills Place to Second avenue, then east on 2nd avenue to Eleventh street, then

south on Eleventh street to Seventh avenue, east on Seventh to Beaton street, arriving at intersection of Beaton street and Collin street about 1:45 p.m., at which time and place Mr. Thompson will demonstrate some of his unusual powers. After the demonstration, Mr. Thompson will drive the Chrysler east on Collin street to Tenth street, then north on Tenth street to Second avenue, west on Second avenue to Fifteenth street, then south on Fifteenth street, to Thirtieth avenue, west on Thirtieth avenue to Beaton street. Here Mr. Thompson will change from the Chrysler roadster to a Chrysler phaeton, which he will drive around the depot park, back to the Chrysler roadster and change cars again and then drive the Chrysler roadster north on Beaton street back to 119 West Third avenue, to the Chrysler Sales and Service location, arriving there about 2:30 p.m., where Mr. Thompson will again demonstrate some of his unusual abilities.

Maize Heads

Car of Maize Heads here
\$27.50 per ton.
At Smith's Gin.
CHENEY & SMITH.

Suit to Recover Taxes.

Special to the Sun.
Groesbeck, Texas, Feb. 8.—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Ferguson have filed suit against H. W. Steen, county tax assessor, and other county officials seeking return of \$800 in taxes on property which assessor valued at \$30,870 in the Mexico oil field but which the plaintiffs claim was not properly assessed. The petition sets out that \$50 would have been a proper tax on the property. N. T. Stubbs, Mexico, is counsel for the plaintiffs in the action.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Taken up and impounded at City Pound, Corsicana, one black horse mule, about 15 hands high, 9 or 10 years old, no marks or brands; one brown horse mule, about 15 1/2 hands high, 12 years old, no brands. Taken up Monday, Feb. 1st. If not called for by Tuesday, Feb. 16th, will be sold to the highest bidder at public sale at City Hall, Corsicana at 3 o'clock.

ED SHEETS,
City Policeman.

Sick and Convalescent.

Mrs. George W. Crumley who has been ill several days, was reported to be resting well Monday.

Mrs. L. H. Elkins who underwent an operation at the Navarro County Hospital Saturday morning, was reported to be resting well Monday.

Mrs. H. R. Stroube is sick in the County Hospital.

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COURTHOUSE DOINGS

From Monday's Daily:

District Court.

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the seventh week of the January term of the District Court for the week beginning Monday, February 15:

P. B. McKie, Corsicana; H. B. Walker, Corsicana; Conner Kirk, Corsicana; W. E. Drusley, Corsicana; C. E. Bruner, Kerens; E. W. Hightower, Corsicana; L. A. Ruth, Kerens; W. S. Ware, Highland; Earl M. McClung, Kerens; W. B. Evans, Corsicana; J. B. Flovin, Corsicana; J. B. Land, Kerens; J. E. Williamson, Corsicana; H. G. Brown, Corsicana; T. M. Kent, Kerens; G. C. Bowen, Corsicana; W. B. Gordon, Corsicana; W. A. Lang, Corsicana; Robert Tyrus, Kerens; Joel Trimble, Corsicana; H. I. Aken, Kerens; R. C. Love, Corsicana; C. Z. Burke, Corsicana; L. E. Lamb, Kerens; T. H. Westbrook, Corsicana; A. Beauchamp, Kerens; D. P. Smith, Corsicana; L. D. Ransom, Corsicana; E. L. McClune, Kerens; Will Tramel, Jr., Kerens; W. T. McKee, Corsicana; D. C. Galt, Rice; Edward Park, Corsicana; C. L. Burks, Roane; T. H. Bounds, Richmond.

The jury for the week in the district court was excused until Wednesday morning.

The grand jury which has been in session for several weeks resumed its deliberations and investigations Monday.

Justice Court.

Judge George W. Crumley fined four on charges of vagrancy during the week-end.

Judge Sam B. Jordan fined one for affray Saturday afternoon.

Real Estate Transfers.

S. H. Marks et ux to J. C. West, part of block 573-1-2, Corsicana. Consideration \$12,000.00.

A. J. McKinney et ux and M. C. Strange et ux to F. L. Cole, 43.4 acres of the W. H. Smith Survey. Consideration \$3,000.00.

Horace Bridges and Effie B. Matthews et vir to Mattie Reeves and Robert Harris, west side of Lot 11, Block 306, Corsicana. \$5.00 and other considerations.

W. T. Penny et ux to W. A. Duncan et ux, approximately 2 acres of the E. Powers Survey. Consideration \$200.00.

Tholbert Thomas to Willie Pettie, Lots 8 and 9, on the Tholbert Thomas Addition, Dawson. Consideration \$60.00.

Marriage Licenses.

D. T. Wyatt and Beatrice Harrison.

Forest Statham and Gladys Armstrong.

Gaither Miller and Nina Webb.

Roy G. Thomas and Mrs. Ina H. Harn.

Juan Ramillios and Julia Martinez.

Births.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eddie F. Self, Corsicana, January 26, a daughter.

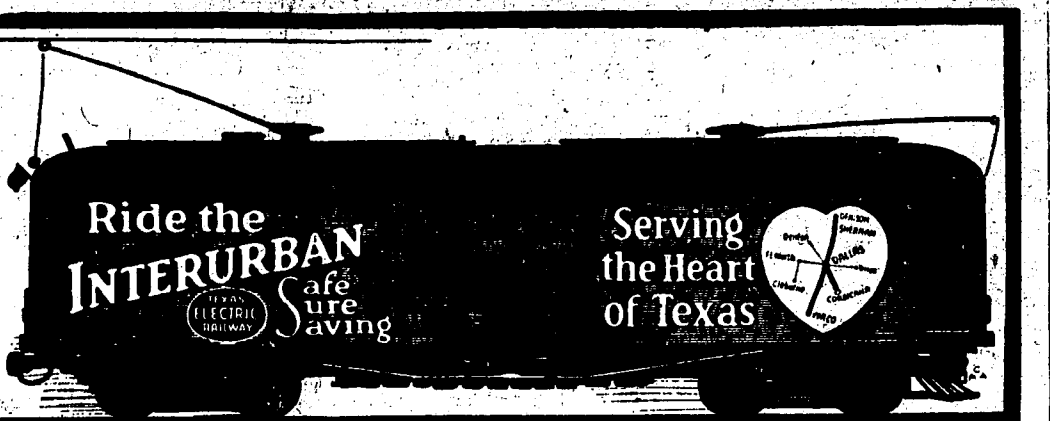
Mexico Poll Tax

Payments Increase

Special to the Sun.
Mexico, Texas, Feb. 8.—Final tabulation shows a total poll tax payment in the city of Mexico of 1290, compared with 1160 of a year ago, or an increase of 130 voters, according to J. C. McIntosh, city tax collector. The city requires a poll tax in addition to the state poll tax.

Read the Sun—get all the news.

NEW INTERURBAN EXPRESS CARS



"Hold your horses! The circus is coming to town!" Such are your feelings when you see the new type interurban express cars, as pictured above, speed into town. Big, bright blue beauties, their new enamel shining and their gay colored signs portraying the selling arguments of the interurban lines, they are causing much comment up and down the lines. The coloring takes you back to the days when you had to be in the railroad yards early to see the circus unload.

But, in reality, they are strong interurban express cars built in the interurban's own shops at

Monroe, near Dallas, for the speedy transportation of express and baggage over the Texas Electric Railway's lines, according to Jas. P. Griffin, general passenger agent of the lines, whose idea it was to paint the cars so that they will attract more attention.

"The company's express cars are built in our own shops right here in the heart of Texas, and at 75 percent of the materials used their construction is either produced in Texas, or bought by us from Texas manufacturers and jobbers," said Mr. Griffin. "We not only are proud of the fact that Texas can produce such cars, but we are also pleased to state that hundreds of good men are employ-

ed in the building, maintenance and operation of these cars, many of whom have been in the employ of this company from five to twenty years, which we consider a record for service. Our express cars, like all the Texas Electric interurban passenger cars, are inspected carefully after each run."

"The express business of the Texas Electric Lines is growing steadily, due to the speedy scheduled service on all classes of shipping."

At 2:45 o'clock Saturday afternoon one of the new express cars bearing the number 500 pulled into Corsicana from Dallas on its initial trip.

INJUNCTION ASKED TO PREVENT MERGER BAKING INTERESTS

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 8.—The federal courts were asked by the government today to prevent the formation of the huge combination in the baking industry by the Ward interests and others.

In an anti-trust suit filed in Baltimore, the government named the General Baking, Continental Baking, and the United Bakeries interests as linked with the Ward companies in the enterprise.

An injunction was requested.

MEXICAN CONSUL

AT SAN ANTONIO TO PROTEST TREATMENT

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 8.—A protest against the action of a restaurant owner at Granger in refusing to serve him yesterday will be made to Governor Ferguson and the mayor of Granger by Alejandro Carillo, Mexican consul general here, it was learned.

Dawson News Notes.

Dawson, Texas, Feb. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Slaughter entertained a group of friends on Thursday evening with progressive forty-two. A very enjoyable time was had by all present. At a late hour the hostess served a tempting plate, consisting of chicken salad, crackers, olives, cake and coffee to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames C. J. Loveless, J. G. Garner, E. B. Dawson, J. F. Smith, W. W. Wolfe, J. L. McCulloch, Mr. C. O. Weaver, Misses Mable Wilkes, Lillie Paterson and Mrs. Vera Sims of Dallas, who is visiting in the C. J. Loveless home.

Mrs. J. R. Wheelock entertained at her home on Monday afternoon in honor of the twelfth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Alta Wheelock. Many interesting games were played after which delicious refreshments, consisting of cake and hot chocolate were served to the following: Spartan Duke, Edna Vern Barber, Beatrice Gardner, Mildred Davis, Hattie Mae Akers, Audrey Paulks, Dorothy Scott, Bonnie Boulware, Margaret Barry, Lucille Slaughter, Mildred Ponder, Elizabeth Davis, Conrad Newton Jr., Chestine Akers, Lady Kelti Dickson, Ray Wilkes Hall, Frances McCullough, Glen Butler.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian church met in business session Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. M. Newton. After all business had been attended to, the ladies spent a very enjoyable hour in sewing.

The next meeting will be on Feb. 15th with Mrs. N. G. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Allmon, Mr. and Mrs. Gray Sims and little daughter Mary Belle were Waco visitors Friday.

Miss Leora Keeton who has been attending State Normal at Norman, Oklahoma, came in recently for a visit with relatives.

The McKinney-Lindley Co. has made quite an addition to their show room at their place of business. The corner, formerly used for selling gasoline and oils has been enclosed and the pump will be at the front of the building. This change will give the company more room for displaying cars and also will make their filling station more convenient for the public.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCulloch were Corsicana visitors Friday.

Mr. G. W. Long of Malone was in the city Thursday attending to business.

Sickly, Peevish Children.

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms, but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by Inabnit Drug Co.

NAVARRO COUNTY TENTH IN LIST OF AUTO REGISTRATIONS

Austin, Texas, Feb. 6.—With 66,055 automobile registrations in 1925, Dallas county leads the state in that line and in the increase in registrations over the previous year, showing an increase of 9,418 according to figures announced Friday at the State Highway Department.

There were fifteen counties showing registrations figures of five figures for 1925, these counties being: Dallas 66,055, Harris 56,666, Bexar 48,522, Tarrant 38,301, Wichita 22,794, McLennan 20,934, Jefferson 19,030, El Paso 16,514, Travis 14,432, Navarro 12,199, Grayson 12,169, Galveston 11,312, Eastland and Ellis 10,678 each, Collin 10,029, Collin, Eastland and Galveston entered the five-figure list in 1925.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS.

From Saturday's Daily:

District Court.

The grand jury will meet again Monday and resume its deliberations.

Shelby Lucas vs. Catherine Lucas, divorce granted.

District Clerk's Office.

The following case was filed in the district clerk's office:

Frederick Rhodes vs. Tom Rhodes, divorce.

Commissioners' Court.

The commissioners' court will meet in regular session Monday morning.

Justice Court.

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Real Estate Transfers.

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Westinghouse Mazda Lamps

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THE FRESHMAN CHRISTIAN

Comment on the Uniform International Sunday School Lesson for
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Read John 9.

WM. SOUTHERN, JR.

JESUS HEALS AND SAVES A BLIND MAN.

John 9:1-9, 24, 25, 35-38.

1 And as Jesus passed by, he saw a man which was blind from his birth.

2 And his disciples asked him, saying, Master, who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind?

3 Jesus answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents; but that the works of God should be made manifest in him.

4 I must work the works of him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work.

5 As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.

6 When he had thus spoken, he spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay.

7 And said unto him, Go, wash in the pool of Siloam, (which is by interpretation, Sent.) He went his way therefore, and wash, and came seeing.

8 The neighbors therefore, and they which before had seen him that he was blind, said, Is not this he that sat and begged?

9 Some said, This is he: others said, He is like him: but he said, I am he.

10 Then again called they the man that was blind, and said unto him, Give God the praise: we know that this man is a sinner.

11 He answered and said, Whether he be a sinner or no, I know not: one thing I know, that whereas I was blind, now I see.

12 Jesus heard that they had cast him out: and when he had found him, he said unto him, Dost thou believe on the Son of God?

13 He answered and said, Who is he, Lord, that I might believe on him?

14 And Jesus said unto him, Thou hast not seen him, and it is he that talketh with thee.

15 And he said, Lord, I believe. And he worshipped him.

The Golden Text—"I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in the darkness, but shall have the light of life."—John 8:12.

A revival had been going on for some time in a small community and many men and women had come forward to occupy the mourners' bench.

The revivalist held one day a kind of experience meeting. He called on each one to rise and tell what God had done for him. Many rose and testified and to each testimony the revivalist said "Amen."

One man had not risen and presently pointing him out, the revivalist asked him for a testimony. The man was deformed, his face twisted all out of shape, his eyes were not at all.

As he slowly rose the eyes of the audience turned toward him and looked upon that twisted countenance and the man said:

"You can all see what the Lord has done for me, he has purged my eyes."

It was the old, old superstition held even to this day. It was the same idea of sin and punishment. The Lord is blamed for all our mis-

fortunes and if we make good the Lord has nothing to do with it. I always hate to hear a man boast "I am a self made man." There is no such animal. But most of us are willing to lay all our troubles on the Lord and take credit for all the good things which come to us as a mark of our special smartness.

This same age old question was asked of Jesus in the text from the 9th chapter of John. Jesus had become well known from Judea across Samaria and in Galilee. He had already visited Jerusalem and the Pharisees had determined to kill him. At one of the meetings of the Sanhedrin Nicodemus had protested against condemning him without trial.

Jesus was in Jerusalem when he had been preaching some of the most wonderful sermons. One day he was walking with his disciples and talking with them. This was the way, he taught. He looked over the things and the men about him and drew his lessons from what they could all see. His disciples asked questions and He answered them.

On this day they passed by a man sitting by the wayside, his hat in his hand, a mute appeal for alms, and his sightless eyes turned toward the sound of men walking.

The disciples had been arguing about sin and they pointed out the man and said "Who sinned, this man or his parents?"

In the Jewish mind there was no suffering without sin. The belief in a previous life was prevalent and when they could not account for suffering in any other way they said the man must have done something evil in another life.

Jesus was very quick to answer that neither the man nor his parents had sinned. He was quick to deny the doctrine that suffering came not come to those who have lived righteous lives. Today we are too apt to take that view and to wait out in our sorrow. Why does God punish me so, why do I suffer when so many others escape?

I am not able to answer these questions but I do know that it all works out all right and I firmly believe that it was all in the very plan to me in the future. I know also that even in this life we often live long enough to have these questions answered.

Jesus healed the blind man, just how makes no difference to us. Then enter the Pharisees into the story, the orthodox church members. They called the man before them and demanded if he was the man who had been born, if so, who healed him and how. Did he not know that the man who healed him was a sinner and had broken the Sabbath?

The man's answer bears to me a great truth which applies right now to us and to our religious discussions. He stood up before the Pharisees and told them he did not care if the man was the biggest sinner in the world, in fact he did not know anything about him or how he worked and he was glad if the Sabbath was broken, "This I know, whereas I was blind, now I see."

Then the Pharisees threw him out of the church. He was declared unorthodox and not only that, he glorified in it.

Then Jesus sought out the man who had been blind and asked him "Dost thou believe on the Son of God?" The man was bewildered. He did not know who the Son of God might be, but he was willing to believe anything Jesus told him and when Jesus reduced the question to a personal equation, "I am the Son of God," the man's face brightened up and he said, "Sure, I believe in you, you gave me my sight."

Our religion today is getting into much the same shape that the religion of the Jews had reached in Jesus' day. It has been formalized and creedalized and organized until it has become a stereotyped thing. A young man who really wants to join the church, who really believes in God and would like to live a clean, decent life and would like to join the church and associate with church members may not desire to accept the special doctrines of any particular church. Some preachers go so far as to say that you must accept all the doctrines or none. The young man is a bewildered as was the blind man. If we could and would offer him Jesus without hanging about him all the theological creeds and isms and regulations he would do just as the blind man did. "Sure, I can manage that, believe in God and live right, Jesus and would like to live right, put my name down on the church roll."

We also confront the new Christian with a lot of things which we who have been working in the church for years have discovered. We have gone from an ignorant beginning into better understanding as we grow older. Our thoughts and ideas are not what they were years ago and yet we expect the new Christian to take it all at once and become a saint of God in twenty minutes. It is almost as bad as the theory that when a man is baptized he is a Christian because of that baptism.

We ought, I think, to remember that the new Christian is a freshman in the church. That as he grows and studies and lives he comes closer and closer to Christian knowledge and faith and that the seniors in religion were once freshmen.

I know many men who do not join the church because they can not believe some of the creeds and theology of that particular denomination. They feel that they must stay out in justice to themselves if they can not honestly believe it all and are not willing to join unless they can honestly believe. I honor them for it. They are honest with themselves. Their mistake is that the things they think they must believe are not essential. Most of these beliefs which are demanded were never thought of until hundreds of years after Jesus died. The doctrines which makes early two hundred protestant denominations were unknown to John when he wrote his gospel just before he came to die.

I wish that these honest men and women who are heart Christians, who really believe in Christianity and what it stands for, could wake up some morning as did the blind man in the story and see Jesus standing there and know that he it was who gave them sight. It would be easy for them to believe then.—The Republic Syndicate.

FUNERAL SERVICES FRIDAY AFTERNOON FOR RUFUS RAMSEY

Funeral services for Rufus Ramsey, aged 27 years, only son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ramsey, took place from the family home, 604 South Fifteenth street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Services were held at the house by Rev. D. A. Chisholm, pastor of the Seventh Avenue Methodist church, and Rev. E. W. Potter, pastor of the First Methodist church, with interment in the Hamilton cemetery, about three miles southwest of Corsicana, immediately after the services. The grave was hidden beneath a great profusion of flowers that had been brought by friends and loved ones who had known the young man during his lifetime, and which bespoke in a manner the love and esteem in which he was held by those who knew him best.

Deceased had been ill for several weeks, during which time he had been confined to his bed. He was a quiet and unassuming young man who found his greatest pleasure in doing for others, especially little children, all of whom were his friends.

He is survived by his parents and five sisters, Mrs. R. L. Moore, Mrs. Robert A. Webb, Dallas; Mrs. E. W. Robinson, Corsicana; Mrs. S. E. Ellington, Corsicana; Mrs. W. B. Burdine, Dallas.

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WIZARD OF BLINDFOLD COMING HERE



Haywood Thompson, "wizard of the blindfold," has created much comment among those who have witnessed his unusual feat of "double brain" writing. He writes one sentence backwards with the left hand and another with his right at the same time.

M'DONALD BROS. MOTOR CO. TO SPONSOR HAYWOOD THOMPSON EXHIBITION IN CITY WEDNESDAY

"Do you believe that people eventually will be able to see without the regular functioning of the eyes?"

"Do you believe that there is 'no light'?"

"Is this far-fetched, doesn't it?"

"The Haywood Thompson, 'blindfold wizard,' both believes and demonstrates these theories. And his explanation and demonstration is simple in the extreme."

Under the auspices of McDonald Bros. Motor Co. Chrysler dealers, Thompson, once totally blind, is going to drive his Chrysler automobile down the streets, blindfolded, and is going to do other stunts which will convince onlookers that what he says is true.

February 10 he is going to drive his Chrysler automobile, repeating a stunt he has done some 300 times without a mishap.

"How does he do it?" you ask.

Uses Intuition.

"Intuitive force and mental telepathy," is his simple answer.

First Thompson admits, he mentally charts his route. He knows where he must stop, once he has begun his journey. Simple, you say.

But traffic conditions in Corsicana change. And in the downtown section it often becomes congested. There are other automobiles, and most dangerous of all, pedestrians. He must watch all these.

Drives Safely.

"The minute the blindfold is put on I feel a sense of security and my acute mentality begins to function," he explained. "Where others see, I anticipate. A car approaching from an intersection, in front of me or behind me, or a pedestrian in my path, I feel their approach or presence instantly. That's intuitive force and perhaps mental telepathy, but it works."

Without a blindfold, Thompson says, he is an indifferent driver, but once his eyes are closed he can drive fast and safely.

A peculiar reaction, however, comes at the conclusion of one of these demonstrations, he said.

"My eyelids become paralyzed," Thompson said, "the blood leaves my face and a numbness comes over me from the hips down. This I can't explain."

Fifteen minutes ordinarily is required, he said for his recovery.

Driving an automobile blindfolded, however, is only one of Thompson's strange accomplishments.

His "mental vision" extends to such ordinary things as the color and texture of clothing.

These he can describe accurately blindfolded.

"There is no total darkness," Thompson asserts by way of explanation. "Take an inch thick lead plate and you can photograph through it by the use of radium. Everything has light, has a vibratory rate. Some things we can't see. They are too high in the color octave for our normal vision. There are sounds we can't hear. They are too high yet they can be made audible."

It is through these that I can tell you accurately the object, the color, it's simple."

There is a San Antonio woman, Thompson said, who has developed the faculty of "perception" of distinguishing objects and colors without the use of her eyes.

Eventually, he predicts, many people will be able to develop this "mental perception."

Powell News Notes.

Special to the Sun.

Powell, Texas, Feb. 6.—Mr. W. E. Stevenson spent Monday in Dallas.

Powell has a new gas station which is quite an improvement.

Mrs. H. R. Emerson has been quite sick and is at the hospital. Her many friends hope she will soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Loving of Tyler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Towns.

Mrs. Reese entertained a few friends Thursday with a bridge luncheon. Mrs. Ernest Brethaupt made the highest score. A delectable luncheon was served.

Mrs. Fred Elliott is back from the hospital. Her friends are so glad to have her back, and on the way to recovery.

Mrs. J. O. Jackson and Mrs. Ernest Brethaupt were in Corsicana Wednesday.

Miss Smith of Kerens has come to Powell to join the staff of able teachers. Our new and handsome school building is nearing completion and is a monument to our love of our children. Our children and teachers expect to take possession of it some time next week.

Miss Joe Pender of Denton spent the week end with Miss Reeves.

Mr. Bryant Austin visited Corsicana Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ficklin have moved to their new home recently completed.

CHICHESTERS PILLS

Zion's Rest Home Demonstration Club.

A special call is issued for the Home Demonstration Club to meet at the residence of Mrs. J. B. Nichols near Zion's Rest next Thursday, February 11th at 2 o'clock to discuss the feature of landscaping and home beautifying. Miss Lawson, demonstration agent, will be present and has secured the co-operation of Mr. Davis for that day who will deliver instruction in landscaping, and the planting and cultivating of shrubbery, trees, etc. Mr. Davis is well advanced in the theory of landscaping and home beautifying, and to hear him will be beneficial. All who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity are invited to attend, and especially the club members.

REPORTER.

Delco Equipment

For electric water pumps, washing machines and frigid air electric refrigerators or any Delco Light products see

C. R. HALL, Embouse, Tex.

T. A. Hanrahan and R. B. Carr were here today from Cisco.

COUNTY CHAIRMAN ROBERTS APPOINTS DISTRICT CHAIRMAN

C. C. Roberts, county chairman for the Woodrow Wilson Birthplace Memorial fund campaign, announced Friday that the organization of the county had been completed and that chairmen had been named in practically every town in the county.

Mr. Roberts reports that the raising of Navarro county's quota of \$1200 for the fund was well under way and that there was little doubt that it would be subscribed in a few days. The fund being raised in Corsicana is also well under way, there having been \$226 reported Thursday of the total of \$800 allotted to the city.

The chairman named for the several towns and communities over Navarro county, as announced Friday by County Chairman Roberts are as follows:

Frost, Jno. C. Beck; Blooming Grove, J. R. Griffin; Barry, L. V. Varnell; Dawson, E. B. Dawson; Purdon, H. F. Chestnut; Chatfield, R. H. Witherspoon; Rice, A. C. Hervey; Embouse, R. Collins; Richmond, Rev. Jno. B. Inge; Elvaka, White Montgomery; Powell, Alf Wilson; Kerens, Joe Daniels; Roane, Mrs. Pope Estes.

BOYNTON & CALKINS GIVE CASH PRIZES NAVARRO FARMERS

The prizes offered by the progressive and enterprising firm of Boynton & Calkins, local agents for the Ford, the Fordson and Lincoln cars, for those Navarro county farmers who raised the greatest amount of lint cotton on five acres of ground and cultivated same according to the rules of the better farming contest, have been awarded to Western Navarro county farmers, according to a statement of Mr. Calkins, a member of the firm, Saturday morning, who had the checks in hand to be presented to the enterprising farmers who had been adjudged as being the winners of the first and second prizes.

G. W. Douthett of Frost won first prize and was awarded a check for the sum of \$150. It is stated that Mr. Douthett raised 1804 pounds of lint cotton on a little less than five acres. It is stated that Mr. Douthett raised slightly more than three-fourths of a bale per acre, and this was done, too, in one of the worst years from the standpoint of lack of moisture in the history of Navarro county.

Second prize, a check for the sum of \$100 was presented to W. J. Sheffield of Blooming Grove, whose record shows that he raised 1090 pounds of lint cotton on his five-acre tract.

The firm of Boynton & Calkins have demonstrated their progressiveness and their interest in the basic industry of this section of the United States—agriculture—by offering these cash prizes themselves without the aid of any other individual, firm or organization, and it is to be hoped that the business men of Corsicana, through the proper channels, will take the matter up and work for the interest of the city and county by stimulating interest in better farming and the production of more crops on a smaller acreage by the offering of prizes for those who will engage in this work on the farms of Navarro county. It is stated that the other counties and cities of the state are taking up this work, and it is urged that Corsicana at least follow in this progressive matter.

W. W. BALLEW DIED HERE FRIDAY NIGHT FUNERAL SUNDAY 3

From Saturday's Daily: Funeral services for W. W. Ballow, 63 years old, who died at his home, 918 West Fifth avenue, at 10:30 o'clock Friday night, following an extended illness, will be held from the residence at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. Milton T. Jones, pastor of the Third Avenue Presbyterian church, will conduct the services. Burial will be in Oakwood cemetery. Active pall bearers will be LeGrande Woods, C. L. Jester, W. A. Tarver, W. W. Harris, Joe S. Simkins and R. M. Tilley. The following honorary pallbearers have been named: Aaron Ferguson, N. L. Benson, Wes Redden, Ed McIver, Sam Blair, J. H. Woods, Bert Deveney, Jim Nick Carity, J. M. Blanding, W. J. McKie, H. S. Melear, Meyer Cohen, Dr. W. D. Cross, El J. Gibson, Dr. L. E. Kelton, Mike Howard, R. J. Banks, Fred Upchurch, Claude Upchurch, Morris Lovett, Tom Lovett, Ed M. Polk, Wayne R. Howell, Dr. T. A. Miller, Dr. I. S. Suttle, J. M. Hornbeak, A. G. Elliott, John R. Curington, John W. Stewart, Dr. B. F. Houston, George Roxburgh, Hawkins Scarborough, Warren Hicks, Morris Fox, Will Goldman, Sam Goldman, H. F. Marr, S. W. Burdine, J. S. Callcutt, B. L. Finch, L. C. Fluker, L. A. Pinkston, J. H. Galbreath, Richard Mays, A. P. Mays, Charlie Love, Will Love, H. C. Nash, Judge J. L. Stout, Wilbur Wright and Dr. J. L. Daniels, of Corsicana; and M. G. Hardy, J. G. Nagle and John Carpenter, of Dallas; and all members of the Navarro County Bar Association and all members of the Woodmen of the World local lodge.

Born in Navarro county July 29, 1863, Mr. Ballow had lived his entire life here. He had practiced law since 1887, when he was admitted to the practice following graduation from the State University Law Department. He was well known throughout Texas, and was a strong member of the legal fraternity of the state.

Mr. Ballow is survived by his wife, three children, Mrs. Houston Gunkel, Mrs. Gertrude Pittman and William Fletcher Ballow, all of Corsicana; one brother, J. C. Ballow, Corsicana; and two sisters, Misses Maude and Belle Ballow of Dallas.

Mr. Ballow was the son of John Ballow, a native of North Carolina, who came to Texas in 1844, taking up residence at Clarksville, Red River county. John Ballow taught school at Chatfield in 1853 and 1854 and married in 1857 Miss Gertrude Parsons.

Mr. Ballow was born 17 miles west of Corsicana and attended country schools during a part of his early boyhood. In 1886 he entered the law school of the State University and entered legal practice in Corsicana in September, 1887. April 17, 1895, he married Miss Lottie Grant of Clarksville.

Mr. Ballow has always been a deep student of law and few men in Texas have devoted as much time in hard study. His success as a lawyer is evidenced by the court reports since the Seventy-fifth Texas and his reputation as a high court practitioner is well known. He had been a frequent contributor to the press upon political subjects and likewise many poems.

Mr. Ballow's outstanding characteristics were unconquerable courage, moral, mental and physical, and his wonderful memory and accuracy of statement and regard for honesty and devotion to duty, contempt for hypocrisy in politics and religion. He was outspoken upon all subjects that he investigated, and could always give the highest authority upon any subjects he discussed, always going to the source of any question, and investigating every question from a scientific basis.

Judge J. M. Blanding today issued a request for all members of the bar association to attend the funeral.

BILIOUS ATTACKS

From Which Kentucky Man Suffered Two or Three Times a Month, Relieved by Black-Draught.

Lawrenceburg, Ky.—Mr. J. P. Nevins, a local coal dealer and farmer, about two years ago learned of the value of Theodor's Black-Draught Liver Medicine, and now he says:

"Until then I suffered with severe bilious attacks that came on two or three times each month. I would get nauseated. I would have dizziness and couldn't work. I would take pills until I was worn-out with them. I didn't seem to get relief. After taking the pills my bowels would act a couple of three times, then I would be very comfortable."

"A neighbor told me of Black-Draught and I began its use. I never have found so much relief as it gave me. I would not be without it for anything."

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J. R. Nunnally of Fort Worth was here today.

FORMER CORSICANA MAN MET ACCIDENTAL DEATH NEAR DALLAS

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 5.—Overcome by gas fumes while working on a tank car near here today, Homer Lamb, aged twenty-three of Dallas, toppled over into the car, filled with gasoline.

He was dead before fellow workmen could rescue him.

Mr. Lamb's wife, 1803 Woodlawn avenue, and his father and mother, who live at Hurdon, went to Dallas early Friday morning to make arrangements to have the body brought here for burial.

News of the death reached here soon after the accident. Alvah Little, who works in the office of the Simms Oil Company, telephoned Mrs. T. P. Little, 1711 Woodlawn avenue and Mrs. Lamb.

Funeral arrangements have not been made. Mr. Lamb worked at the Metcalf Roller Ring for about two months, quitting about thirty days ago. He then went to Dallas where he had been employed by the Simms company for the past month. Her formerly worked for the Magnolia and the Humble here.

He was a well-known baseball player here, and was a leading pitcher in the inter-city league.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR HOMER LAMB AT FROST SATURDAY

Funeral services for Homer Lamb, 23 years old, who lost his life at Dallas Friday when he fell into a tank car of gasoline, were held at the Baptist church at Frost at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The body arrived in Corsicana Saturday morning via the interurban, and was taken to the home of Mrs. E. B. Jones, grandmother of the deceased, 321 West Seventh avenue. The funeral cortege left Corsicana shortly after noon. Bank Sutherland, Corsicana undertaker, had charge of the funeral.

Mr. Lamb was drowned in a tank car partially filled with gasoline. The accident happened at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Simms Oil Company refinery in West Dallas, where he was employed, about 8 o'clock, or soon after had gone to work for the day. With other workmen, Mr. Lamb was engaged in unloading the tank car when the drain valve became stuck and he was endeavoring to adjust it. While standing in the car dome working with the valve, the man was overcome by gas fumes, emanating from the contents and fell helplessly to the bottom. The body was fished out with grapple-hooks.

Deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lamb, Dawson; two brothers, Coleman and Merrill Lamb, and two sisters, Mrs. Abigail Taylor and Louise Lamb, also of Dawson; his grandmother, Mrs. H. B. Jones, Corsicana, and several uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

Mr. Lamb had been working at the Dallas Refinery of the Simms Oil Company for the past month. For a time he was employed at the Metcalf Roller Ring here and worked for the Magnolia and Humble Companies here at different times.

TWO CHILDREN ARE INJURED COLLISION COUPE AND TRUCK

Claude McDonald, Jr., 5, and his brother, Charlton, 3 years old, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McDonald, 1734 West Seventh avenue, were injured about the head and face with flying particles of windshield glass when the coupe in which they were riding was in collision with a truck at the intersection of West Seventh street and South Eighteenth street, about 10 o'clock Friday morning. The car was driven by Clyde McDonald, nephew of Claude McDonald.

The truck was the delivery vehicle of Anderson & Anderson, Tenth street grocers, and was driven by Bob Joel, negro. Another negro was in the truck with Joel at the time of the accident.

The boys were brought to a downtown doctor's office by Limb Love, operator of the Central Service Station, near the place of the collision. The older boy had a laceration on the side of his head near the eye. The younger boy sustained a laceration to the left side of his face, necessitating several stitches to close it, and a bump on his head. The injuries were not serious, though the little fellow bled profusely.

The coupe had a light globe broken, a radius rod bent, and the windshield broken. The truck sustained a blown out rear tire.

The boys were taken home after receiving medical treatment.

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F. H. Mandoza and wife were here today from Waco.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR AMENDMENTS TO VOLSTEAD MEASURE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Several changes in the present prohibition regime including the proposal to create a new and separate prohibition bureau, were sponsored in congress today by the administration.

A bill for a prohibition bureau, ranking with other bureau in the Treasury Department, was introduced by Chairman Smoot of the Senate finance committee, with the backing of the Treasury officials.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The Treasury has drafted recommendations for a series of changes in the Volstead act and other laws having to do with the enforcement of prohibition in order to meet the new conditions.

The proposed changes were drafted by Assistant Secretary Andrews, in the light of his experience as chief of the enforcement officers, and have been approved by Secretary Mellon.

They will be submitted to Congress immediately.

The character of the changes desired was not disclosed.

The Treasury's decision to seek an amendment to the dry law coincides with the renewed drive in and out of congress for legalization of light wine and beer, but there was no indication that any step in the direction of such legislation was contemplated in the Treasury program.

The wine and beer drive, recently given endorsement by the Church Temperance Society of the Episcopal church, is expected to take organized form at the rally to be held on Washington's Birthday under the auspices of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The house civil committee today reported a bill to place all employees of the prohibition unit under the civil service regulations.

In Eternal Remembrance of My Friend, Thomas Sullivan.

Slowly the eastern skies lighted, dispelling the shadows that lingered here and there. The sun came up and completely filled the world with its brilliance. Another day had come. Another day of life—joy—health—achievement. But Death was abroad. And to those gathered with bowed head and breaking heart about the bedside of their beloved husband, father and friend it was a day of sorrow and loss. For each, as they helplessly waited, knew that the grim spectre of Death was swiftly approaching. All had been done that hands of Love and Tenderness could possibly do. The skilled physician had battled unflinchingly with the inevitable to stay the hand of Death and bring back again the glow of health, but had at last been forced to admit defeat and shake his head in despair. Had all been done that could be done, was asked? There had been. Nothing now would be of any avail. This was the end. The End! When Life departs; when we look upon the marble countenance of a loved one and realize that never again shall we speak to them or they speak to us. No more will they move about in our midst. And we bid them our final farewell and how it wrings our hearts to see them go. Ah! Such is Death. Slowly the flame of life grows fainter, fainter; flutters and hesitates for a fleeting moment and goes out. Then the soul takes flight to its Haven of Rest. That is the reward of the faithful. 'Tis only the promise of everlasting life held out to us by our blessed Saviour that dulls the stinging pain of the loss of one dear to us. That alone is enough for they that believe and in the dark hour will suffice.

How he will be missed. He with his cheerfulness and unflinching smile to everyone alike; his friendly and cheery word to his neighbor and friend. We remember, too, his traits of kindness and generosity; his good humor and consideration for others.

How bleak the future must look to his own immediate kin that leaves behind. How long and dreary the days; how silent and lonely the seemingly endless nights. How they must find themselves watching for him at dusk; listening for his footstep on the walk. Listening for the sound of his voice. How those hearts must long for the touch of his hand. That is the anguish of it.

He was my friend. And I his. To me his friendship meant more than mere acquaintanceship of long standing. How beautiful are the recollections of my association with him in the past. Rare treasures are they. And now I must tuck them away in my book of Beautiful Memories. I love to take it down now and then, brush away the dust of the years and opening it turn its leaves slowly and recall to mind all those things said and done that have grown priceless with the swift passing of years. Here a smile; there a tear. And each a jewel of memory. Among these I shall place my memories of Mr. Sullivan. For I placed in high esteem his friendship and associations.

I have looked forward with pleasant anticipations to my next meeting with him. How much I enjoy shaking his hand and noting the gleam of humor in his eye as he slapped me on the shoulder and inquired after my health and such things. But now he is gone! Gone beyond recall—out into that vast, mysterious realm Beyond and left behind his friends and kin—unable to mourn his passing, but recall with much pleasure the privilege of being his friend. That is

friend.

And to his loved ones in sorrow I would say "Mourn not for sorrow the night of sorrow, joy surely comes with tomorrow's sun in the knowledge that some wonderful day after awhile when you come, at last, to the River of the way, and cross the River of Death to join your husband and father in the City of the Soul and there rest eternally." He is at home with God and holds forth a beckoning hand.

"Yea, tho I walk through the Valley of the Shadow of Death, I will fear no evil, for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me."

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Groesbeck Man Heads Farm Ass'n.

Special to the Sun. Mexia, Texas, Feb. 8.—Johnson Wakefield, Groesbeck attorney, has been elected president of the Limestone county division of the

Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, with J. S. Strother, Groesbeck, vice president, and W. H. McCoe, secretary.

J. D. Bratton has been named special agent in the county for the association and will campaign for new members. The association has had rapid growth in this county in the past few years.

Did You Know

that lately Fred Mitchell has added one of the best equipped optical parlors to be found anywhere? 214 South Beaton.

HEART AND CUPID decorations for VALENTINE parties.—City Book Store.

LOCAL RESIDENT MADE RADIO MAN FOR NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

H. F. Hendrick, 1103 West Collins street, has been designated local radio man for the National Guard Army radio net for Texas, according to word reaching here from the signal corps officer of the Eighth Army Corps Area. Mr. Hendrick has a sending and a receiving radio outfit, which will be put in use as a part of the net for the State guard. This is being done in accordance with using the amateur radio stations by the government in sending and receiving radio communications at the various naval and army stations. The National Guard net will extend throughout the confines of the State.

Prize for Best Corn.

Mexia, Texas, Feb. 8.—Adding to the prizes offered to get more food production in this district, Jesse W. McLendon, broker, and B. S. Smith, banker, have offered a cash award of \$50 to the boy or girl under 18, raising the most corn on one acre of land. The prize is for the commissioner precinct in which Mexia is located.

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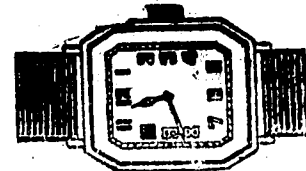
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LARGE CROWDS VISIT COTTON BELT TRAIN FOR DEMONSTRATION

SUCCESSFUL POULTRY DEMONSTRATION AT COMANCHE SATURDAY

Special to the Sun. Comanche, Texas, Feb. 8.—A successful poultry demonstration was put on at Comanche Saturday where the Cotton Belt dairy, hog and poultry train, now on a system tour, stopped for a day. Between 1100 and 1200 persons were in attendance at the lectures and visited the demonstration cars.

In the afternoon a meeting was arranged in the Cotton Belt depot by C. C. McNally, marketing agent of the Cotton Belt, who is in charge of the train. John Barton, county agent, as chairman of the meeting, introduced the speakers, V. R. Glazener, poultry specialist of the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College, and O. G. Thomas, entomologist of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Glazener spoke on getting maximum production from hens and preparing eggs for market while Thomas talked about the control and life history of chicken parasites especially the blue bug for which he recommended carbolineum.

P. S. Walser, Cotton Belt dairy expert, found visitors strictly interested in balanced rations for increasing milk production and second in dairy.

N. F. Mutz, supervisor of egg inspection of the Western Weighing and Inspection Bureau of Chicago, reported producers and farmers interested in standardizing their products.

Craig, Rosborough, agricultural agent of the Cotton Belt, assisted in the demonstration.

The demonstration train will stop at the principal towns between Waco and Texarkana and will be ready to tour Arkansas early in March.

The Cotton Belt's demonstration train will be in Corsicana Wednesday, February 10th, and a large crowd of those interested in farming, poultry and hog raising and dairying are expected to visit the train and hear the lectures.

WORK ON NEW JAIL BEING RUSHED TO EARLY COMPLETION

The work of the construction of the new \$86,300 Navarro county jail is being rushed and workmen are busy erecting the walls of the second story of the structure this week. The good weather conditions are aiding this work and those in charge of the construction are going at top speed to make as much progress as possible during the favorable weather.

ATTRACTIVE STORY BOOKS for Children, 5c. to \$2.50. Children's Book Department. City Book Store.

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Painful Injury.

Georgia Ruth, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bivins, 1001 North Twentieth street, was painfully injured Sunday afternoon when the index finger of her left hand became entangled in an automobile jack. The nail and flesh to the first joint was torn leaving the bone exposed.

ALLEGED ARSON CASES IN DISTRICT COURT POSTPONED

DEFENDANTS ARE ILL WITH TYPHOID FEVER DOCTOR'S CERTIFICATE STATES

The cases of Roy Griffin and Oscar Griffin were reset in district court Monday morning to be called again February 22, on account of the present illness of the defendants.

Roy and Oscar Griffin are charged by indictment with arson and attempted arson in connection with alleged incendiary fires in the Blooming Grove and Dresden communities, which occurred early last fall.

The jury for the week was excused till Wednesday morning. County Attorney Ballard W. George announced that he would take up the case of Jeff Van Hook at that time. No other cases were ready for trial.

A doctor's certificate was presented Judge Scarborough attesting to the illness of both Roy and Oscar Griffin. They are confined to their home with typhoid fever and other members of the family are ill with fever and flu, and are witnesses in the cases.

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INTEREST BETTER FARMING NAVARRO COUNTY IS SHOWN

MANY CARLOADS OF FERTILIZER BEING USED ON FARMS OF COUNTY

An indication of increased interest in better farming methods in Navarro county is seen in the larger orders for fertilizer for this year, according to H. Gentry, county agent, whose office is at the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Gentry explained that about three cars are en route to Dawson, one car is expected at Angus Tuesday, another car is expected in Corsicana Tuesday or Wednesday, a car is being shipped to Blooming Grove and an order was received today for a car to be shipped to Streetman.

Most of the fertilizer is being shipped from Houston and Kerrons. Mr. Gentry estimated that at least one thousand tons of fertilizer will be used in Navarro county this season. This amount is in excess of the tonnage used last year. Most of the fertilizer will be used for cotton production, although some of it is for truck and other crops. Three formulae were included in the orders.

The county agent is glad to discuss fertilizers with those interested.

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Large box Post Toasties, old price	15c
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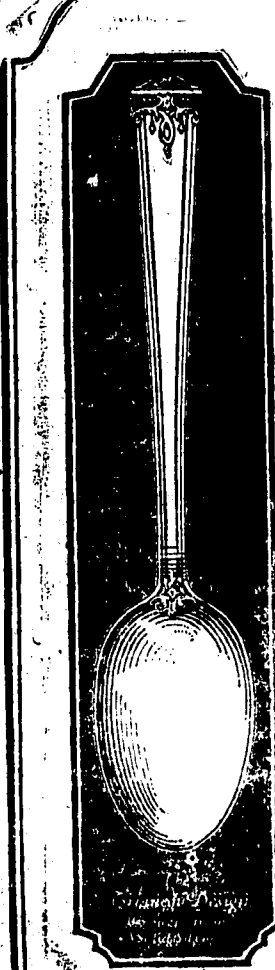


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